Visitor's Map
SAN DIEGO ZOO
& Balboa Park

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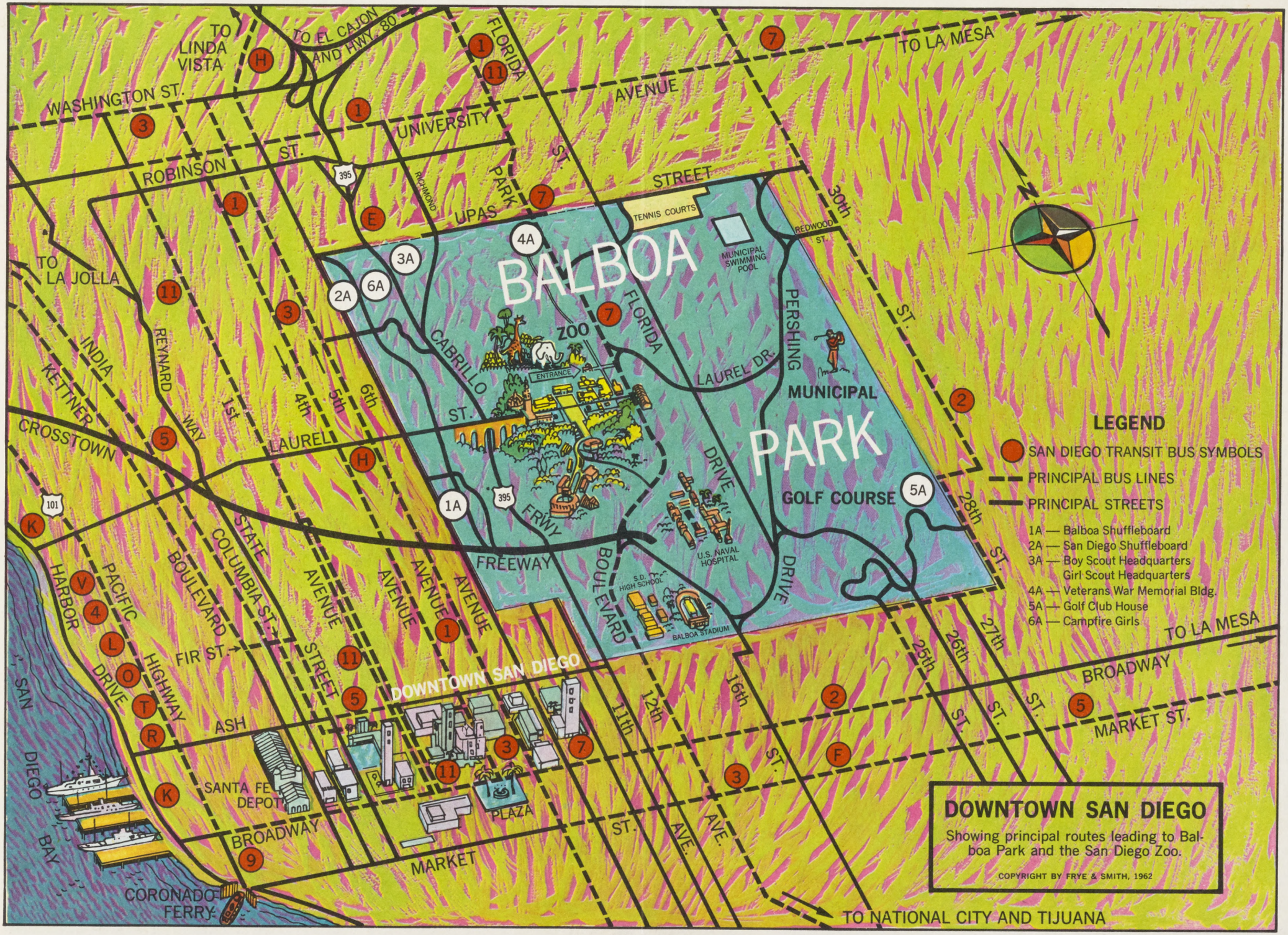
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MUNICIPAL SWIMMING POOL
REDWOOD ST.
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TO LA JOLLA
BALBOA PARK
ZOO
ENTRANCE
CABRILLO ST.
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SAN DIEGO BAY
CORONADO FERRY
TO NATIONAL CITY AND TIJUANA
LEGEND
SAN DIEGO TRANSIT BUS SYMBOLS
PRINCIPAL BUS LINES
PRINCIPAL STREETS
1A — Balboa Shuffleboard
2A — San Diego Shuffleboard
3A — Boy Scout Headquarters
Girl Scout Headquarters
4A — Veterans War Memorial Bldg.
5A — Golf Club House
6A — Campfire Girls
DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO
Showing principal routes leading to Balboa Park and the San Diego Zoo.
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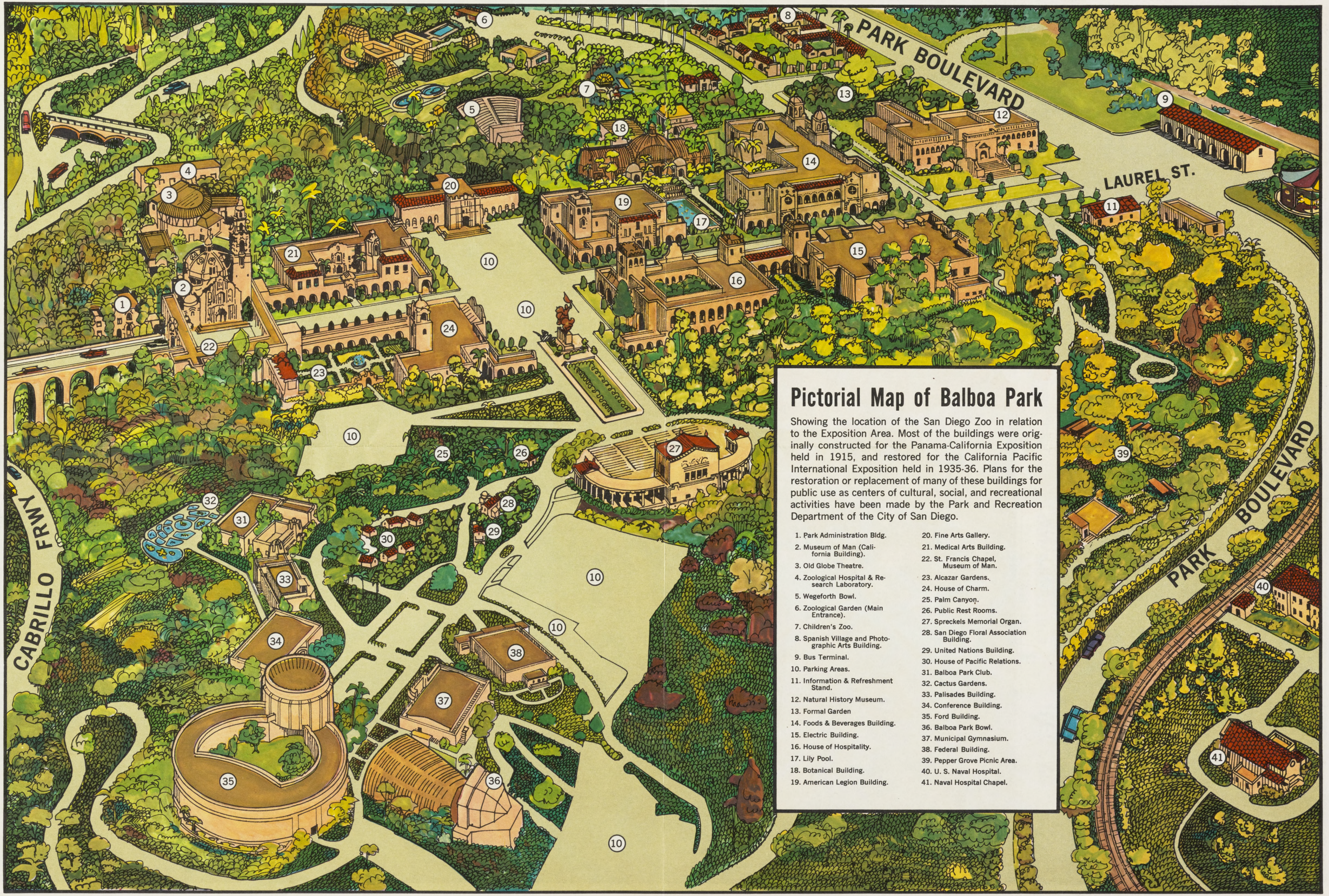

Pictorial Map of Balboa Park

Showing the location of the San Diego Zoo in relation to the Exposition Area. Most of the buildings were originally constructed for the Panama-California Exposition held in 1915, and restored for the California Pacific International Exposition held in 1935-36. Plans for the restoration or replacement of many of these buildings for public use as centers of cultural, social, and recreational activities have been made by the Park and Recreation Department of the City of San Diego.

1. Park Administration Bldg.
2. Museum of Man (California Building).
3. Old Globe Theatre.
4. Zoological Hospital & Research Laboratory.
5. Wegeforth Bowl.
6. Zoological Garden (Main Entrance).
7. Children's Zoo.
8. Spanish Village and Photographic Arts Building.
9. Bus Terminal.
10. Parking Areas.
11. Information & Refreshment Stand.
12. Natural History Museum.
13. Formal Garden
14. Foods & Beverages Building.
15. Electric Building.
16. House of Hospitality.
17. Lily Pool.
18. Botanical Building.
19. American Legion Building.
20. Fine Arts Gallery.
21. Medical Arts Building.
22. St. Francis Chapel, Museum of Man.
23. Alcazar Gardens.
24. House of Charm.
25. Palm Canyon.
26. Public Rest Rooms.
27. Spreckels Memorial Organ.
28. San Diego Floral Association Building.
29. United Nations Building.
30. House of Pacific Relations.
31. Balboa Park Club.
32. Cactus Gardens.
33. Palisades Building.
34. Conference Building.
35. Ford Building.
36. Balboa Park Bowl.
37. Municipal Gymnasium.
38. Federal Building.
39. Pepper Grove Picnic Area.
40. U. S. Naval Hospital.
41. Naval Hospital Chapel.

SAN DIEGO ZOO

The Zoo is divided by a series of canyons into four mesas, extending from a main mesa which parallels Zoo Drive. Starting at the south end, the four mesas are lettered A, B, C and D. The canyons are lettered E, F and G, from the south.

MESAS

A–MESA: At the front of this mesa is the Reptile House, with the area to the west given over to open lizard pits, turtle and tortoise pens, and alligator and crocodile pools. Wegeforth Bowl also is located here and features seal shows daily. Entrance to the Children's Zoo is south of the Bowl.

B–MESA: Primates, including small monkeys, are shown here. Apes and baboons are housed on the north half of this mesa. Hundreds of miscellaneous birds also are exhibited here. The world's largest walk-through flying cages can be entered from this mesa. The south cage exhibits shore and marsh birds, while the cage on the north is a simulated rain forest.

C–MESA: Elephants and rhinoceroses are featured here, also some particularly rare species of smaller animals, including Okapi from the Congo.

D–MESA: In addition to a new, moated exhibit for giraffes, this mesa features hoofed animals: sheep, goats, antelope, deer, bison, moose and elk.

CANYONS

E–CANYON: This is a wild bird sanctuary as well as exhibit area for ducks, geese, swans, ostriches and other birds on permanent display. Hippopotamuses also are exhibited in the pools here. Cheetah can be seen in their new "run" opposite the pools.

F–CANYON: The lower end of this canyon features storks and cranes, while farther up are grottoes for bears, lions and tigers, divided by a series of pools for sea mammals.

G–CANYON: Leopards, pumas, black panthers and jaguars are shown, also small cats, foxes, swine and canines.

LEGEND

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6—RESTROOMS
7, 8, 9, 10, 11—PICNIC AREAS
12—INFORMATION
13—RESTAURANT
14—SOUVENIRS
15—FILMS
16—GUIDED BUS TOUR
17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22—CANTEENS
23—WEGEFORTH BOWL FREE ANIMAL ACTS
24—ZOO ANIMAL HOSPITAL
25—MIGRATORY BIRDS
26—RAIN FOREST
27—FERN CANYON TELEPHONES

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